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Saints Sting Vikings, 75-42

## Rogers City Here Friday



Story of the Game — Two Many Saints  
(Chuck Bonamie Photo)

## Prince-Princess Contest Begins

By Trudy Knipe

Progress of the Prince and Princess Contest is now in forward motion.

Entries have already been received. If your child's entry form has been lost or misplaced send in his or her name, address, phone number, birth date and two small school size pictures to: Cheri Harris, Rt. 1, Box 2201, Grayling, Mich. 49738, Phone No. 348-8819.

Children in the first, second, and third grades are eligible to enter the contest. We remind you that entries must be in by February 6th and voting begins on February 11th. Voting will take place at the Ben Franklin Family Center and the Grayling State Bank.

The crowning of the Prince and Princess will take place at the Fashion Show to be announced at a later date.

Area merchants will be contacted for donations and prizes for the Prince and Princess and the four finalists.

Proceeds will go to the Grayling Co-op Nursery School and Crawford AuSable Elementary School to help with the education of our children.

Israel This Time

## Travel And Adventure Series on Monday Nite



**FILM LECTURER** — Now one of the nation's leading film lecturers, Ray Green has made documentaries of Siberia, Afghanistan, Russia, East and West Berlin, Germany, Hong Kong and Switzerland. He served on the staff of the White House and went to North Korea and Manchuria with Ambassador Paulley, head of the United States reparations mission. For many years he has traveled widely throughout Asia and the Soviet Union. Mr. Green will be in Grayling on Monday evening, February 4 narrating his film "The New Israel" which will be shown in the new high school auditorium.

On Monday evening, Feb. 4 the third film of the Grayling Area's first Travel and Adventure Series will be shown in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium of the new high school. Featured this time is Ray Green, one of the nation's leading film lecturers who will narrate live his documentary film "The New Israel". A leading topic of the news media along with the Arab countries surrounding it, Israel is a country of which many people know very little.

Ray Green found the new Israel to be a blend of past and present. There is Haifa, the old port now too small to handle all of the shipping; and Ashdod the deep water port built within the past few years. At Caesaria, the ancient Roman seaport, there is pollution on the beaches. Tiberius is a very old town suffering from the same growing pains as all others in Israel. Outside the age-old walls of Jerusalem there is still a Khan which is a caravansary for caravans that arrive after sundown.

Ray Green shows many scenes of the city of Jerusalem — the Old City, the Dome of the Rock, the Wailing Wall, Old Jerusalem from Mount Scopus, the various faces of housing in Jerusalem, the Kennedy Memorial, and the striking shrine of the Dome of the Rock.

(See Adventure on Page 10)



**ROTARY AIDS BOY SCOUTS** — Jim Frenthway (left), District Executive of the AuSable District, Lake Huron Area Council of Boy Scouts of America, is shown receiving a check for \$100.00 from Grayling Rotary Club Vice President John Sojka. The gift, presented at the January 23, luncheon meeting, represents the Grayling Rotarians' support for the Scouts' outstanding contribution to area youth.

## ROSCOMMON HERE TUESDAY NIGHT

It was a long trip both ways for the Vikings last Friday when they traveled to St. Ignace, and absorbed a 75-42 lopping at the hands of the Saints. The win avenged a first-round loss when the Vikings handed St. Ignace their first league loss in three years.

In other MHS action, Petoskey handed front running Cheboygan its first loss of the season, 59-55. The defeat tightened the league race to one game as second-place Boyne City won an overtime contest with Gaylord, 37-31, and Charlevoix handed Rogers City an 89-57 defeat.

The Vikings will be at home for their next two cage contests. On Friday night they will entertain the Rogers City Hurons in a conference clash, and on Tuesday, Feb. 5, the Vikings will host the Roscommon Bucks in a non-conference contest.

Grayling fell behind the Saints, 12-6, in the first quarter, and trailed 26-14 at halftime, then really felt the wrath of the Saints in the second half when the poured in 49 points to the Vikings 29.

Wayne Westervelt, with a 20 point average, was held to 11 points on 2 buckets and 7 free throws, and was the only Viking in double figures for coach Al Vissia.

Bert Kaiser added 8, Mark Hanson and Doug Hinkle finished with 6 each, Jim Hulbert, 3, Randy Lavrak, Neil Doty and John Tobin, 2 each, and Dan McClain and Don Weaver, 1 each.

St. Ignace had four in double figures, led by Leslie Grondin with 19, Greg LaTour 15, and Ron Powers and Ray Russell, 11 each.

The Saints made good on 25 of 35 free throw attempts and hit on 25 from the field, while Grayling hit 16 of 25 FT and could muster only 13 2-pointers.

Coach Howard Lehti's J.V.s salvaged a portion of a dismal night by taking the measure of the little Saints in the preliminary, 59-46.

The local cagers jumped out to a 15-4 first period advantage, and extended it to 31-9 at halftime. Grayling put the game out of reach with a three quarter lead of 44-18, and then coasted in the final stanza.

Justin Polter and Craig Hinkle shared game scoring honors with 14 each. They were followed by Gary Fox with 8, Scott Montague 7, Ken Doty 6, Brian Hulbert 5, John Hoffman 3, and John Scheer 2.

## Dinner - Dance Thursday Nite

The 49th Annual Winter Carnival Kick-off Dinner will be held Thursday, Jan. 31, at the Bear Mountain Lodge, Grayling.

This is another Chamber of Commerce activity which requires the support of the entire community. The cost is \$10.00 per person and includes a social hour at 6:30 p.m., dinner at 7:30 and dancing following, with good dancing music. There will also be a torchlight parade put on by the Ski Team.

Senator Robert Davis of Gaylord will be the emcee for the event.

## FILM AT M. M. CHURCH FEB. 8

"Isn't it good to know", a new film that abandons traditional story lines to involve the viewer in the life-experiences of real people, will be shown on Friday the eighth of February at 7:00 p.m. at the Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church.

The beginning of a new day, the beginning of a new life, World Wide pictures presents: "Isn't it Good To Know" with Billy Graham. A cordial invitation to all families in the area to attend is extended. Nursery care available.

## Re-elected President

Fred Kauffman was re-elected President of the 2nd District of Michigan Association of Counties January 24, at the Annual meeting held at Sugar Loaf Mountain, Leelanau County.

Connie Binsfield was elected Vice-President. Constance is a member of the Board of Commissioners of Leelanau County.

## March of Dimes Mothers March Kickoff Jan. 30

The March of Dimes Mothers March Kickoff will be January 30th for Crawford County, according to Mother's March Chairman Rosalia Matyu.

Over 50 volunteer mothers will be marching in their neighborhoods helping to raise money for the fight against birth defects.

Bill Commons wishes to remind all volunteers that the kickoff dessert will be held Wednesday evening at the Shoppington Hotel at 8:00. The program will include guest speakers Myrtle McPhail, Public Health Nurse; Dr. Donald Burkle, M.D.; and Loretta Church, M.D., Field Representative.

Please give when your marching mother comes to call on you.

## Stress-Line Trainer Appointed Here



The North Central Michigan Mental Health Services Board has hired Tom Tarrant as the trainer for Stress-Line in Crawford and Roscommon counties.

A Federal grant provided the funding for Stress-Line. Mr. Tarrant received his B.S. Degree in Psychology and Sociology from Central Michigan University and has completed over half of the hours required for his Masters Degree.

His experience includes work as a probation officer and as a minister as well as Crises Intervention.

Tom is married and his wife Pat is with the COOR Intermediate District.

Mr. Tarrant has been reviewing the past efforts of Stress-Line while acquainting himself with the needs and resources of the Community.

There will be a meeting for persons interested in the Stress-Line program and the training available on February 11th at 7:30 at the Michelson Methodist Church.

For more information call 348-7201, after 6 p.m.

## Meeting Cancelled

The February meeting of the Grayling Woman's Club, which was scheduled for Monday evening, Feb. 4, has been cancelled because of the Travelogue at the High School.

## Gen-Tel Announces Area Changes



Gene Michaud

Gene Michaud, of Alpena, has been named General Telephone customer service manager at Roscommon effective February 1. Al Murphy, manager at Roscommon since 1963, will become exchange manager at the company's Pickford office.

Michaud, a 35-year General Telephone veteran, joined the company as a combinationman at Alpena in January, 1939. He was named district commercial manager there in 1959 and district manager in 1963.

Murphy began his telephone

## Barbara Jurkovich Wins Title

## Select Miss Grayling 1974

### CMU Off Campus Course Begins

Jan. 31 In Grayling

Mt. Pleasant — The first class meeting in a Central Michigan University off-campus course dealing with a survey of instructional materials will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 31, in Grayling High School. Those planning to enroll may do so at the beginning of the first class period.

The opening class was postponed due to an ice storm on the original registration date January 21.

The course is Elementary - Secondary Education - Library Science 508 and earns two semester hours graduate credit. It is listed as "Projects in Education: Survey of Instructional Materials" and will be taught by Donald Lehman.

A staff member from Central Michigan University's Off Campus Education office will be at the high school registration night to assist with registration.

## IRS Will Help Area Taxpayers

Cadillac — The Internal Revenue Service reminded Cadillac area taxpayers that they can obtain assistance with their 1973 Federal income tax returns at the IRS office here Monday of each week.

Internal Revenue Service personnel will be available to provide assistance from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The IRS office is located at 421 S. Mitchell Street.

Telephone service will be offered from 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and between 10 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Saturdays. Assistance telephone numbers are listed in your tax instruction booklet.

## BENEFIT DINNER

The Grayling Booster Club is sponsoring a Benefit Chicken Dinner to be held at The Grayling House on Monday, Feb. 4th, from 4 until 9 p.m.

Tariff is set at \$3.00 per person, and all proceeds will go to the Senior Citizens Bus Fund.

## Warning

The Artillery Range at Camp Grayling, located North of County Road 612 and South of the North Branch of the AuSable River will be used by National Guard units 30 Jan. 2 Feb. 74 for air to ground range firing.

These ranges will be closed on above dates and all persons are warned to stay out of these areas.

Barbara Ann Jurkovich, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jurkovich of Grayling, was crowned Miss Grayling 1974 at the climax of the 1974 Miss Grayling Scholarship Pageant held on Saturday, Jan. 25th, in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium of the Grayling High School.

Before an audience of 350 people, Ann Lynn Haskel, Miss Grayling 1973 gave her farewell speech and also presented a special singing number. She then crowned Queen Barbara, passing along the coveted heritage of her crown.

The lively and entertaining production, entitled "Those Were The Days", took the audience back along the memory road of the early 1900s and into the 20s when the Miss America Pageant was begun, and continued with the girl for all seasons and eras concluding with the girl for the 70s.

Queen Barbara stands 5'10" tall and is a grey-eyed brunette. First Runner-Up was Veronica M. Weaver, 17, 5'2" tall, a hazel-eyed brunette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald A. Weaver of Grayling. Second Runner-Up was Joan Clair Blaauw, 17, 5'8 1/2" tall, a brown-eyed brunette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blaauw of Grayling.

The Miss Grayling Scholarship Pageant is a franchised preliminary pageant to the Miss Michigan - Miss America Pageants.

According to Mrs. Earl H. Longworth, Executive Director, Miss Grayling will receive a \$1,000 educational scholarship and a complete presentation wardrobe as well as many other gifts. She will also represent Grayling at the Miss Michigan Scholarship Pageant at Muskegon, the National Cherry Pageant in Traverse City, and the National Trout Queen Pageant at Kalkaska. The first runner-up will receive a \$150 educational scholarship; the 2nd runner-up a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond. All contestants received various gifts.

Miss Grayling, her court, and the other participating contestants will be guests of the Pageant Committee at the 49th Annual Grayling Winter Sports Dinner-Dance to be held at Bear Mt. Lodge on Thursday evening, Jan. 31st.

## TWO FIRES HIT COUNTY HOMES

On Wednesday, Jan. 23, the Grayling Fire Department was called out to a fire off Four Mile Road in Beaver Creek Township. The fire, which was reported at 5 a.m. completely destroyed a mobile home and cabin belonging to William Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor lost all of their belongings in the blaze, according to Fire Chief Joseph White.

The fire was caused by a wood stove in an addition to the trailer, White said, and the buildings were a total loss by the time the fire department was notified as they were about a mile off the paved road. One truck and three men answered the call. The loss was estimated at about \$5000.00.

On Thursday, Jan. 24, at 9 a.m., a tool shed was completely destroyed and a bunkhouse severely damaged by fire. Chief White reports. The buildings were owned by Alfred Kammer and were located on Chase Bridge Road, he said. Damage was estimated at about \$6500.00 and the cause is undetermined.

Three trucks and ten men from the local fire department were assisted by one tanker from Roscommon in fighting the blaze. No injuries were reported.

Chief White reports that four recent fires have been caused by woodburning stoves. He urges anyone installing this type of equipment to please make sure their chimney is adequate and take all safety precautions.

## River Country Players to Meet

The River Country Players will hold their monthly meeting February 4th at 7:00 p.m. in the basement of the Hotel. All members and interested persons are urged to attend, as we have started production on our first play and could use your various talents.



Queen Barbara  
Carroll Wert Photo)

## AuSable River Winter Canoe Trip Featured in Auto Club Magazine

The awesome beauty and solitude of a winter canoe trip down the AuSable River is featured in Automobile Club of Michigan's January Motor News magazine.

An article titled, "We Paddled the AuSable in Winter" calls the stream one of America's most beautiful. "The AuSable is choice of warm gear, a flashlight and lantern. They also will need streams," says Motor News. "And winter canoeing is an excellent cure for cabin fever and an experience you'll not soon forget."

"Dressed in the cloak of winter, the AuSable is something to behold," the article continues. "To travel it after a fresh snowfall is like traveling through a new world, fresh and beautiful."

Motor News points out that the AuSable, which once was used to float thousands upon thousands of logs to waiting mills, since has become one of the nation's most popular trout and canoe streams. It wanders its way from far inland to the waters of Lake Huron.

The name AuSable, given the stream by French voyageurs, is a descriptive one, bespeaking the clean sand and gravel of the river's bed.

In the winter, canoeists have the stream to themselves. The tourists that come by droves in summer to run helter-skelter along the banks and canoe the stream in fleets are absent.

Each new bend — and there is one every few feet in the AuSable — unfolds a new vista, an unforgettable scene. It is so quiet you can hear every ripple of the water, the crunch of fresh snow as deer run through it, and the occasional call of a bird. At many places, the forests still crowd close and thick, appearing dark and mysterious. Occasionally you will spot

large trout in the deep pools, lying almost dormant. And you will flush wild duck and teal, which go flashing away with a whirr of wings.

Equipment needed by winter canoeists, says Motor News, includes a tent, air mattress, sleeping bag, catalytic heater, plenty of warm gear, a flashlight and lantern. They also will need food for at least two good meals and sandwiches for snacks.

Canoe livers at Grayling or other points along the AuSable will furnish maps and advice about your trip and the stream such as how far you can expect to travel in the time allotted and when you will be picked up.

**Services Thursday For Leonard Knibbs, 55**

Leonard Knibbs, 55, a member of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners, succumbed at Mercy Hospital Monday night.

Funeral services will be held at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church Thursday at one o'clock.

A memorial fund in his memory is being established.

**Hospital Auxiliary Card Party Feb. 12**

The Mercy Hospital Auxiliary will sponsor a dessert luncheon card party on Tuesday, Feb. 12th from 1 to 4 p.m. at Mercy Hospital North Wing.

Proceeds from this party will be used to buy needed equipment for our hospital.

Bring your friends — Donation \$1.50 — table and door prizes.

We ask that you make a reservation — call Wilma Ludeman at 348-8695.

Rosalia Matyu, publicity

# ALMANACK

Richard Milliman



## World owes us a living

The Hon. Coleman Young, new mayor of Detroit, has more than enough problems with which to grapple in his fresh assignment. Chances are he will come up with some novel approaches to some of the older problems that have been plaguing the largest concentration of Michigan citizens—such problems as crime, and housing, and urban transportation, and others.

These problems have rocked several Detroit mayors before the Hon. Mr. Young, and several Michigan governors and legislators, too. Detroit's problems, of course, because so much of Michigan is in Detroit. I puzzled for a bit over Mr. Young's advice to the criminal element in one of his inaugural speeches, when he told lawbreakers to "hit the road."

Being an out-stater, I wondered... but Mr. Young's champions assured us Mayor Young was employing a colloquialism, and he really didn't mean that lawbreaking Detroiters should just

move on out of town to other parts of Michigan, but rather that they should pack it all in because things were going to be different and the official Detroit policy would be a tough anti-crime stance.

Some of Mayor Young's ideas for solving Detroit problems may not be so novel after all. The new mayor—an old-timer in state politics after many years around the state senate and the Lansing scene—was asked to comment on the annual state-of-the-state message of Gov. Milliken.

Young's reactions, as reported in news stories, were not so unusual after all. In fact, he sounded like most any other old Detroit politician.

How about the governor's proposal for a \$35 million tax cut, Mayor Young was asked. It may be good politics, he is said to have responded, but "it overlooks the problems of the cities and the schools."

Which cities? Why, Detroit, of course.

Which schools? Why, Detroit's, of course.

In other words, Mayor Young wants to solve Detroit's problems with Michigan's money.

Sound familiar? It's the same old refrain we've been hearing for several years. And in the election year of 1974, the siren song of masses of big city voters may once more be heard in Lansing.

Gov. Milliken and state government have listened to this sweet vote-laden melody in the past—a fact not lost on Mayor Young, who recalled that in another recent state budget, Detroit was given a direct state grant of \$5 million.

"That kind of help is what we need now," Young is quoted as saying.

He referred to Milliken's proposal to earmark \$3 million for the Southeastern Michigan Transportation Authority, and commented:

"If I had been consulted on the budget, I would have told him (Milliken) we could use the money much more as a direct

grant."

As for schools, Detroit Mayor Young is quoted: "Detroit schools need more state aid to provide quality education. Some of the other school systems have twice as much money per capita as Detroit..."

Young's attitude seemed to be summed up "I don't see giving money back and refusing to meet needs."

Of course, the needs to which Mr. Young refers are in Detroit, where he has the responsibility to come up with some problem-solving approaches.

Putting the muscle on the state budget for funds to funnel into Detroit is, I guess, a legitimate tactic for the elected leaders of Detroit. After all, folks who live in Detroit are Michigan citizens, too.

But so are those folks who live in Pewamo, and Lake Station, and Cohocah, and Cassopolis.

The world owes them a living every bit as much as to residents of Detroit.

Even though there aren't as many of them.

## from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

**DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS**

On February 1, 1790, the Supreme Court held its first meeting.

Baseball's National League was organized on February 2, 1876.

Horace Greeley, famous American journalist, was born on February 3, 1811.

The Confederate States of America was formed on February 4, 1862.

On February 5, 1937, President Franklin D. Roosevelt introduced proposals to reorganize the Supreme Court.

On February 6, 1952, King George VI of Great Britain died.

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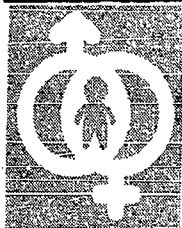
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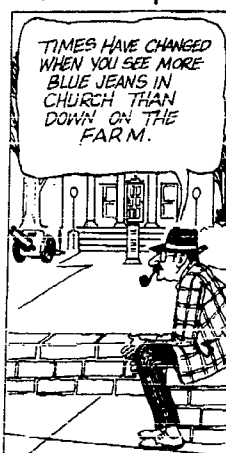
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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

From 10 a.m. to Noon on Monday, February 11, 1974, a Public Hearing will be held at the Crawford County Court House in Grayling, Michigan. The hearing will be held for the purpose of soliciting public comment on a proposal to withdraw designation from One Cap, Inc., as the Community Action Agency for Crawford County and to designate Northeast Michigan Community Action, Inc. as the Community Action Agency for Crawford County.

The proposed change and designation will be accomplished by the Crawford County Board of Commissioners pursuant to Sec. 210 of the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, as amended; and in accordance with administrative procedures outlined in Office of Economic Opportunity instruction 6302-2.

## Courthouse Squares



**WINNERS OF SPELLING BEE** — The students you see pictured here are, from left to right, Mark Hamilton, Beth Parkinson, Bonnie Keusch, Sharon Perry and Kevin Dean. They were part of originally fifteen students who were in a fourth grade spelling bee at the Grayling Elementary. Bonnie, standing with her trophy, was the winner. The runner-ups received pins. The students did such a good job that they were spelling words beyond the studied units. Some of the harder words to remember were homonyms such as threw and through, pain and pane and fair and fare. Other hard words were mussel, oyster, Tropic of Capricorn, Antarctic Circle, multiplication, initials and aquarium. However, some of these students had no trouble with these words.

## Frederic

By Arlein Kesby

Little Anjanette Pratt, daughter of the Jerry Pratts had the misfortune to fall and badly bruise herself, cut her lip and chin which required several stitches.

The Frederic Cub Scouts visited the Grayling Airport Thursday afternoon, Jan. 17. They were allowed into an airplane and worked some of the controls which was a first for many of the cubs. Mrs. Leng and Mrs. Pratt added to the outing by treating from the candy machine. We want to thank the young man at the airport for his time & help with this advantage for the club. We also like to thank the several mothers who accompanied the Cubs.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cram and family of Flint were up to their cabin last weekend.

Members of the "Over the Hill" gang will hold their second annual dinner at the Au-Sable Hotel Friday, Feb. 1st, at 8 p.m. Anyone wishing further information may call Laura Sellers or Anita Lozon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hannibal Fisk of Essexville came up to see Earl Westbrook Friday and to check their cabin.

We would like to congratulate Teddy Arnsnoe, Jeff Pratt and Phil Austin on their birthdays.

Rev. and Mrs. David Black, missionaries to the Philippines, were visitors of Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Arnsnoe Monday evening and overnight. They left Tuesday morning.

Fritz Williams entered the hospital for minor surgery Wednesday and we hope to see him up and around again very soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kesby and George went to the Dog Sled Races at Kalkaska Saturday and Sunday.

## Women of the Moose

A meeting was held on January 7, with 10 members present. (1) one was enrolled, Rose Farley, Sp. Janice Miller.

How about a few more coming to meetings. Remember we are having the Chapter Rally Day, March 3rd. We can use a lot of help. There will be 11 other chapters here.

Our meeting of January 21st was postponed because of bad weather. It was held on January 26th.

Our next enrollment is on February 4, so please girls try and come out and find out what we are trying to do.

Jean Ann Gardiner,  
Publicity Chairman

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## Beating The Energy Crisis

For some Americans, the seriousness of the energy shortage will not sink in until they contract a case of frostbite — in their living rooms. As in any crisis, rumors and speculation abound, and many are confused and/or skeptical about the warnings being sounded. The simple truth is, the danger is very real. It is not an energy industry conspiracy.

The United States is short of environmentally-clean fuels to meet all of its needs, and the outlook for the next few years is for more of the same. However, such shortages will not be permanent if the facilities needed to develop, produce and deliver more energy to the public can be constructed. New facilities such as nuclear power plants, offshore wells, refineries, storage tanks, pipelines and deepwater ports are part of the answer. Energy spokesmen further suggest that there be established a coordinated federal energy policy followed by a better balance between environmental goals and energy requirements.

Each of us can tackle the shortage by conserving electricity and other forms of energy while slashing heating costs by: (1) Not overheating our homes, (2) Sealing off cold air leaks around windows, doors and chimneys, (3) Turning the thermostat down if leaving for the weekend or longer, (4) Making sure the burner of the furnace is correctly adjusted and serviced regularly. If needed, consider an investment in proper home insulation; it could save up to 25 percent of the home's total heating expenses. Even more important, we should make it a point to personally become aware of the realities of the energy shortage and urge our legislators to push for development of new domestic energy sources for the future.

Unlike a bad dream, the energy shortage will not disappear overnight. But it can be surmounted if an alert, educated public demands action. The final outcome rests with you.

## Braggers Are Breaking Us

If anyone wonders why government deficit spending and inflation are so hard to control, they have only to read the letters to constituents from congressmen across the country.

A typical letter describes to the home folks how their Senator has helped to get a "... fair share of federal funds," for their state. He and his colleagues have been so successful that this particular state receives \$300 million more in federal funds than the citizens of the state paid in federal taxes in 1973. If every state considers its fair share of the federal pork barrel to be hundreds of millions of dollars in excess of its contributions in taxes, how can there be anything other than continued inflation and continued devaluation of the dollar? Taxpayers must learn to quit voting for people who make a career of bringing home a disproportionate share of the bacon from Washington.

No effort is more worthy than that of controlling inflation by controlling federal spending. Today, the first obligation of elected representatives is to curb inflation, not brag in letters home of their spending prowess.

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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE  
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

February 1, 1951

Miss Denise Sorenson was hostess to a group of young ladies and gentlemen following the basketball game Tuesday evening, the occasion being her fourteenth birthday. It was also the wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smock are happy over the birth of a son on January 25th, whom they have named Michael Edward. The Liland Smocks and Seth Chappells are proud grandparents and of course Michael has a great-grandmother, Mrs. James Reynolds, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McEvers and Mrs. Edna McEvers were in Midland Sunday visiting a sister of the latter who is ill.

Tuesday Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Leonard Knibbs this week with prizes going to Mrs. Dale Pettengill and Mrs. Harry Souder. Mrs. Tom Welsh was a guest.

The installation of a gas floor furnace, week before last in the Grayling Free Methodist Church by Don Weaver was the beginning of a major renovation project which will completely change the interior of the church. Last week the church was completely rewired by Aubrey Blaine. This week the walls are being finished with celotex by Leland Marshall and his men.

Jeanine Stillwagon is home on a two week vacation from her school duties in Mt. Pleasant. This vacation is mid-winter vacation of the college.

As this goes to press, the thermometer says 20 degrees below and everyone seems to have the home fires burning.

Otis Weaver is now our new school janitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thompson had as their guest recently Bill Mier of Grand Rapids. The two were buddies in World War II and had not met since they were mustered out of service.

Miss Gloria Moore and guest, Miss Thelma Hoffingsworth of St Ignace arrived in Grayling Wednesday from Alma College to spend the weekend with the farmers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore.

Miss Joan Bond accompanied the Bob Strongs to Lansing Thursday and was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Frank and family for the weekend.

Les Welch left Sunday for Detroit to spend several days at the clothing show.

Mr. and Mrs. James Duley spent Saturday evening and Sunday in Pinconning and attended the Alumni party at Pinconning High School Saturday evening.

46 YEARS AGO —

February 2, 1928

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Papendick of Berkeley announce the arrival of a nine pound son, Richard Harold, on January 26, 1928.

A crowd estimated at about 400 attended the preliminary opening of the new toboggan slide at the Military Reservation Sunday.

Quite a number of applications and contract bids were filed with the Post Office Department at Washington for the appointment as mail carrier on the new proposed star route from Grayling to Lovells and return. Austin J. Scott was the lucky one to secure the appointment and will begin his duties February 13th.

A farewell party was given for John Parsons and family of Frederic last Tuesday evening. Their goods went Tuesday to Rogers City.

Donovan G. Gilmore, formerly of Frederic has accepted a position in Pontiac after receiving his Bachelor of Arts degree at Ypsilanti State Normal College.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Scott motored to Bay City Tuesday on business and called at the Geo. Atwood home.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter McNeven made a business trip to Detroit the last of the week and while there were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bingham, former residents here.

Mrs. O. Milnes left Saturday for Detroit owing to the illness of her daughter, Mrs. A. J. McInnis.

William Millikin and sons, who have been cutting wood in the county have returned to Grayling and are living in the J. L. Paer house.

Mrs. Marie Hanson left Monday night for Santa Fe, New Mexico, called there by the illness of her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex LaGrow were pleasantly surprised Sunday evening when 16 ladies and gentlemen called at their home to help them celebrate their 34th wedding anniversary.

71 YEARS AGO —

January 19, 1905

To Mr. and Mrs. D. LaMont, a daughter and to Mr. and Mrs. Hammer, a daughter, January 17.

The burning of a chimney at the Central Hotel Sunday evening caused a fire alarm to be turned in. A high wind was blowing but the fire burned itself out without damage. This is the third call this winter and we hope may be the last.

Prof. and Mrs. Bradley were made glad last week by the presence of their friend, Mrs. James E. Snody of Onaway.

Last week were noticed a happy lot of little folks having a jolly sleighride about town. We have learned it was the fifth grade and that Miss Redhead is the guilty party who gave them the pleasure.

Jacob Karnes of Frederic is taking a rest from his labors. His team ran away at the mill a few days ago and he came near being mashed.

A new lodge was organized under the name of Dansk Broder Saffor with the following officers: President, P. Sampson; vice president, J. Rasmussen; secretary, Thor Hanson; treasurer, Julius Nelson. The lodge was organized by Hans Peterson of Lewiston with 22 charter members.

Receives MSU Degree

East Lansing — Catherine Jones, the daughter of Mrs. James Forbes of 900 Maple, Grayling, graduated from Michigan State University, summer term (1973) and earned a master's degree in elementary education, specializing in reading instruction.

HURON PINES  
RE-ELECTS OFFICERS

Council members of the Huron Pines Resource Conservation and Development Project re-elected the following officers at their meeting in Gaylord last week:

Otto Marquardt, Onaway, Chairman; Ray Lehmann, Harrisville, Vice Chairman; and Mrs. Leona Stillwell, Levering, Secretary-Treasurer.

The Huron Pines RC&D Project includes the eight counties in northeastern Michigan. Its purpose is to assist local people to plan and carry out a program for the orderly conservation, improvement and development of their natural resources. Sponsors of the project are the County Boards of Commissioners and Soil Conservation Districts, in the eight counties.

Two additional action measures involving critical erosion problems were adopted. The project Council has now adopted and indicated their support for over 100 measure proposals sponsored by local people.

Forbes Tompkins, City Manager from Boyne City, related his experience in working thru the RC&D program to get technical and financial assistance for a shore erosion and recreation development which is currently under construction.

Willard Bosserman, Extension Agent in Crawford County, presented an outstanding slide program concerning the needs for good land use planning.

Ronald Church, Project Coordinator told of the work being done to complete the project plan and what action measure proposals they could expect to be implemented this year. Otto Marquardt, Chairman, stated "We feel we have an outstanding project plan and we now are looking forward to implementation of the action measure proposals."

People attending from Crawford County were: Jeremy Jones, Chairman, RC&D County Committee; Fred Switzer, Secretary, RC&D County Committee; Willard Bosserman, County Extension Director; and Glenn Lamberg, District Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service.

## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

### The Home

The destruction of the home is no doubt the greatest domestic problem facing America today. Even in the Grayling area, I cannot begin to describe to you the tears, the heartbreak, the frustrations, the hopelessness, and the multitude of other human sufferings caused by broken homes. Somehow I wish it were possible to reveal to each person in Grayling, the direct results of broken homes upon our small innocent children. I wish you could feel their insecurity and mental anguish. I wish you could instantly see all of the direct and indirect effects a broken home will have upon the future life of each innocent child in Grayling. Selfishness and human lust are evident in every broken home. It is impossible to break a home with love, compassion and concern toward each member of the home.

A view of some of the basic characteristics of the home should impress upon us its importance to all of us:

1. The entire idea and plan for the home belonged to God. Gen. 2:18.
2. The first home was established by a direct act of God. Gen. 2:21, 22.
3. God gave His plan for marriage to Adam for all future generations. Gen. 2:23, 24.
4. The home was necessary for mankind even before sin and the fall.
5. God created sex for the home, and commanded sex within the home. Gen. 1:28. This relationship between husband and wife is among those things which God called "very good" in Genesis 1:31.
6. Of the three basic institutions God established upon earth, the home was first and most important. Neither the Government or the Church can fulfill their intended functions without the home properly, without the home.
7. The home was God's first repository of divine revelation. It is the home which is responsible for the education of the child. God called Abraham to engage in a process of domestic education. Gen. 18:19. Moses urged the Israelites to teach in the home. Deut. 6:7-9. With these commands throughout the Bible comes the promise: "Train up a child in the way he should go; and when he is old, he will not depart from it." Proverbs 22:6.
8. Every marriage should begin a triangle, God, man and

woman. Marriages built on this foundation have less chance of being broken by a different kind of triangle. Trends in our society prove that there is a real danger of a third person breaking up your marriage, unless that third person is Jesus Christ.

3. The saying, "As the Home goes, so goes the Nation" is very true. Citizens learn their value system, personal discipline, and a general foundation for all their future hopes and dreams in the home. The quality of the citizen, who collectively make up this nation, can never hope to surpass the quality of the homes from which they came. Group marriages and all other substitutes being tried in America to replace the common home, are just more examples of man's rebellion against God and His revealed will.

Pastor R.J.B.

## CITIZENS ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR DNR

Roscommon — C. Troy Yoder, Department of Natural Resources, Region II Manager, announces the good response to his November request for candidates to serve on the Department of Natural Resources Citizens Advisory Council. This has resulted in the selection of 34 members who will represent Missaukee, Kalkaska, Crawford & Roscommon counties.

The Council members will soon be meeting to work on organizational plans and to develop future meetings and agendas.

They will assist the Department of Natural Resources in its effort to keep the public abreast of vital conservation issues and help keep the Department tuned to public reaction to Department of Natural Resources activities in the Council area. Functions will include review of Department of Natural Resources Policies and programs with an eye towards possible changes or modifications to better serve the public and to act as a sounding board for proposed programs.

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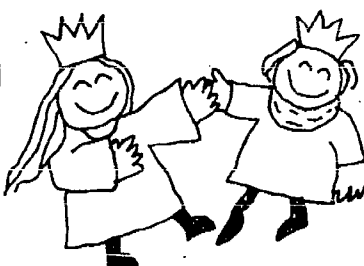
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The National Credit Union Administration approved during 1973 the addition of the northern tier of townships in Roscommon County to the service area and several Roscommon firms have provided payroll deduction for credit union savings. These include Hancock Industries, Roscommon Manufacturing, and Bertl Ford Sales.

The Credit Union Board of Directors will make a complete report to the membership at the Annual Meeting of shareholders at the American Legion Hall 11 Saturday, Feb. 23. The agenda will include a dinner at 6:00 p.m., the business meeting at 7:30 and a social evening with music and dancing to follow.

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# What about Bebe and Tricia?



By Jim Fitzgerald

My heart burns for President Nixon. But my sympathy pains won't prevent me from asking the hard questions about Tricia and Bebe.

"Hard questions" are what Howard Cosell asks. The average reporter will ask a quarterback how it feels to score the winning touchdown in the Super Bowl. But Cosell will ask the quarterback how it feels to earn \$1,500 per minute for playing childish games while millions of children, including the quarterback's 5 half-caste cousins, go to bed hungry every night.

No one asked Nixon the hard questions about his recent dinner in a Mexican restaurant in San Juan Capistrano, Calif. The newspapers and TV told us he ate enchiladas, tacos and stuffed green chili. Which certainly sounds like a difficult swallow in

Capistrano. But I am not interested in the menu.

It was also reported that a trio of strolling mariachi singers played one of Nixon's favorite tunes, "Guadalajara", and were rewarded by Bebe Rebozo who "quietly slipped the leader some money." Now comes some hard questions:

How big was the bribe paid by Rebozo to the mariachi leader? One veteran observer said it was \$10 million and the money originally came from Howard Hughes. It was given to Rebozo in 1942 and he was supposed to spend it on Jane Russell's campaign to have the cross-your-mountain bra made the state seal of Texas. This campaign flopped when Jane had a falling out with John Wayne at the Alamo, remember? Rebozo was stuck with the \$10 million, in \$10 bills, which he kept in his

sox drawer for 32 years.

My source claims the mariachi leader long ago grew sick of playing "Guadalajara" for every dumb tourist who came in the Capistrano restaurant. He had planned to play something more royal, such as "Jesus Christ Superstar," for the Nixon party. This seemed appropriate because Nixon was the first customer to ever enter the restaurant wearing a crown. "Usually they are not crowned until they eat the oleo," the mariachi leader later said in awe.

What I want to know is this: Did the mariachi leader switch to "Guadalajara" simply because he saw the color of Bebe Rebozo's sox? Or did he switch in the hopes of creating a Mexican-American detente, with ephchiladas?

My hard question concerning Tricia Nixon Cox is more

awkward and I ask it only to protect the American people's right to know. According to all news reports, President Nixon spent the holidays in California with his wife Pat, his daughter Tricia, and his friend Bebe. Not one reporter, not even Walter Cronkite, mentioned Tricia's husband, "Fast Eddie" Cox. Where was he? Why wasn't he with his wife on Christmas? How come he didn't get any stuffed green chili?

I am not hinting that either of the Coxes should be writing to Ann Landers. And I will claim no special significance in the fact that bachelor Bebe and Tricia have so much in common — seats close to the throne.

But if I were Howard Cosell, I would ask this hard question: When "Fast Eddie" is not around, who winds the key in Tricia's back?

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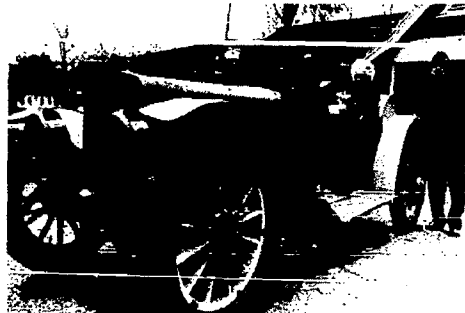
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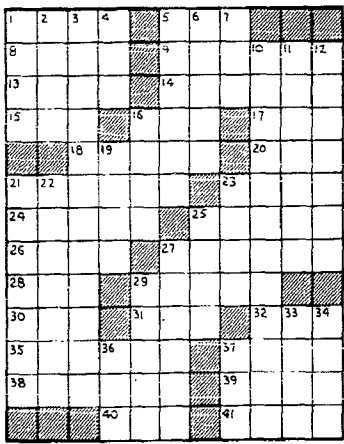
**OLD TIMERS . . .** The New Britain Automotive Museum marked the return of a locally built 1910 Corbin six-cylinder Racer with a reunion of four of the five known surviving employees of the manufacturer, the Corbin Motor Vehicle Corp. of New Britain, Conn. (from left) David O. Swanson, Albert Scripture, Mrs. Howard Stearns and Edward T. Russell. The company produced between 500 and 600 automobiles from 1904 to 1911 and the Racer was built for the 1910 Vanderbilt Cup Race and only seven Corbins are known to exist.

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**ACROSS**  
1. English essayist  
5. Play the ponies  
8. Algerian port  
9. Charlie-magne's favorite knight  
13. Deplane  
14. Reddish-brown mineral  
15. Palm leaf  
16. Total  
17. Prince of comics, for short  
18. Cornelle drama  
20. Greek letter  
21. Scanty  
22. Slash  
24. Gray  
25. Tonsorial service  
26. Headliner  
27. Made a blunder  
28. Manx or Maltese  
29. Domingo or Gedda  
30. Rearward  
31. Broomstick rider  
32. Wonderment  
35. Carl or Rob  
37. Corrode  
38. Without anxiety (2 wds.)  
39. 43,560 sq. ft.  
40. Foundation

**DOWN**  
1. Equestrian sport  
2. Spoken  
3. Famous  
4. Goal  
5. Frontier  
6. Baffle  
7. Small bird  
10. Gallic cry (3 wds.)  
11. Superlative in grammar  
12. Corsican-guineous  
16. An Arab land  
19. Czech river  
21. Makeup item  
22. Military courier  
23. Go away!  
25. The — of Solomon  
27. Outfitted  
29. — are the times . . .  
33. Word with silver or glass  
34. Water pitcher  
36. Seize a culprit  
37. Chew the fat



### your week ahead BY DR. A.W. DAMIS

Forecast Period: February 3 to February 9

**ARIES**  
Mar. 21 - Apr. 19

If you are the breadwinner, of one thing you can be certain: There will be increased activity related to your job or future employment. Meaning? You might decide that money is everything!

**TAURUS**  
Apr. 20 - May 20

For most members of your sign, there is cause for concern. It seems as though, a past "cover up" or error will plague your present job, task or project.

**GEMINI**  
May 21 - June 20

A chain of events, disappointing events, might find you seeking solitude. The point is this: Meditation and self analysis won't be the answer. Advice? Widen your circle of friends.

**MOONCHILD**  
June 21 - July 22

It isn't what someone has done - it's what they are about to do! Forget the past. Look about at what's going on in your immediate surroundings.

**LEO**  
July 23 - Aug. 22

According to your chart, you're in the mood to become tyrannical toward a member of the opposite sex. Avoid ultimatums - unless you can back up your demands!

**VIRGO**  
Aug. 23 - Sept. 22

Resist the urge to run scared, this week. A chain of minor reversals might find you questioning the feasibility of your job, task or project.

**LIBRA**  
Sept. 23 - Oct. 22

It seems as though the harder you work, this week, the less you will achieve. Most of your efforts will pay off in the long haul.

**SCORPIO**  
Oct. 23 - Nov. 21

No question about it, you're going to under-cover or, at least, become aware of an associate's blunders. The point? Don't let someone else's errors disturb you.

**SAGITTARIUS**  
Nov. 22 - Dec. 21

Play it close, very close, to the vest. This week should trigger opportunities to gamble or speculate. In other words, it's a good time to take calculated risks.

**CAPRICORN**  
Dec. 22 - Jan. 19

You're not a student of the theory that things come easy. Nevertheless you are entering a period when over confidence could be a tremendous drawback . . . especially with the opposite sex.

**AQUARIUS**  
Jan. 20 - Feb. 18

Most members under your sign will get an unexpected and "lucky" break. Sorry to say, your good fortune will bring you little or no popularity.

**PISCES**  
Feb. 19 - Mar. 20

Once again, it's unlikely that you will do any wrong . . . that is, concerning your relationship with the opposite sex. Things will come your way in spite of yourself.

### PERSONALITY PROFILE

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### Wish I'd Said THAT



"What gums up budgets is yearnings out-stripping earnings." — Ben P. Bagwell, The Pickens (S. C.) Sentinel.

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## -COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS-

Regular meeting of the City Council held Monday, January 14, 1974 at the City Hall.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor McEvers at 7:30 p.m.

Roll Call. Councilmen Present: Bovee, Hanson, McEvers, Councilmen Absent: Gehlrich and Palmer.

Motion to adjourn. Nelson A. Miles, City Attorney, Jerry W. Morford, City Manager, Allen V. Schneider, City Treasurer, R. H. Longworth and Sherrill Holey.

Moved by Bovee, supported by Hanson that the minutes of the meeting of December 18, 1973 be approved as presented. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

(d) Mr. Longworth appeared.

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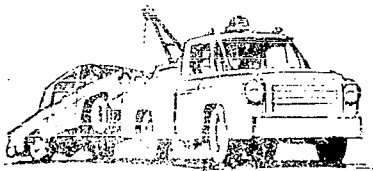
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(d) Stop signs Mr. Ralph Millikin appeared to discuss the stop sign problem at Ottawa and Erie Streets. Mr. Morford stated that he has discussed the problem with Police Chief Stephan and that there is a distinct problem with a number of corners in the city. He also has asked Mr. Mogge to prepare a report on stop signs in the whole city.

(e) Moved by McEvers, supported by Hanson that the City of Grayling adopt a resolution supporting Michigan Municipal League revenue recommendations, as amended, and that a letter be sent to the governor regarding said action. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried. (See attached Resolution).

(f) A letter was read regarding a series of meetings to be held by the DNR concerning recreation facilities.

(g) Citizens who wish to speak: Mr. Holey appeared to request the name on the City Solid Waste Disposal Contract be changed from Sherrill and Sons to Holey's Service. Mr. Miles stated that he foresees no legal difficulties with accepting this name change. Moved by McEvers, supported by Bovee that the above name change be authorized. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

Several Communications, as noted below, were read:

(a) NEMRP&DC re: Appointments.

(b) To Chamber of Commerce re: Lease.

(c) From Penn Central re: Reclamation.

(d) To Honorable Thomas Anderson et al re: Hatchery closing.

(e) From Chamber of Commerce re: Gas situation.

(f) From Municipal Code Corporation.

(g) From Michigan Municipal League re: Management Institute.

(h) From Michigan Automobile Coalition. Moved by McEvers, supported by Bovee that the City Council adopt the attached Resolution regarding no-deposit containers in support of H.B. 4926 and the Michigan Non-refundable Coalition. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried. (See attached Resolution).

(i) From Watershed Study Council.

(j) From Ferris State College — Conference on Federal Assistance.

(k) From Michigan Legislative Conference. Moved by Bovee, supported by Hanson that Jerry W. Morford be appointed Legislative Contact with the MML for 1974. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

(l) Mr. Morford stated that the new city maps are complete and available. He presented a bill from R. S. Scott Co. for \$12,123.13, the total cost will be less than \$3,000.00. Moved by Bovee, supported by Hanson that a charge of 50¢ each be made for copies of the 1"=200' base maps and that the 1"=200' maps be sold at cost of reproduction, further, that the R. S. Scott invoice be paid. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

(m) County use of City Garage. This discussion was tabled until the next meeting.

(n) An invoice from Hill, Woodcock and Distel for the 1973 Audit was presented in the amount of \$8,540.00. Moved by McEvers, supported by Hanson that the invoice be paid. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

The matter of building permit fees was discussed. The City Manager reported that the city is presently interviewing for a bookkeeper position which was recommended by the auditor. Moved by McEvers, supported by Hanson that Hill, Woodcock and Distel be appointed as Certified Public Auditors for the City of Grayling for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

A discussion was held regarding the water bill for the Reece Cox property on Shell-harbour Street. Mr. Morford was directed to collect the charges either from the renter or from the property owner.

Mr. Morford reported a sign advertising Hatt's Motel located atop Bob's Car Wash was in violation of the Zoning Ordinance.

He read letters sent to Don Frisbie and Robert McClain. He also read a letter from an attorney representing Robert McClain and his responses. Moved by McEvers, supported by Bovee that the City Manager and the City Attorney be directed to pursue the necessary steps to have the sign removed or brought into compliance with the City Zoning Ordinance. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

Mr. Morford reported that the codification of ordinances is in progress. Also that several development cases of the city need revision. The Municipal Code Corporation has been notified that the city will proceed without the services of their company due to high costs of such services.

A letter from Michigan State Highway Department was read

relative to their 1974 construction program within the city.

Note: Work on I-75 B.L. will be scheduled for late 1974.

(i) A report was given on the Grayling Housing Commission. Further consideration will be given at the next meeting.

The Grayling Compensation Commission was discussed. A proposed ordinance was presented to establish such a commission. Moved by McEvers, supported by Hanson that Ordinance No. 74-1 be adopted as drafted by the City Attorney. (See attached). Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

The proposed fire agreement between the City of Grayling and Grayling Township was presented. Moved by McEvers, supported by Hanson that the fire protection agreement be adopted. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried. (See attached).

The Industrial Park was discussed. Mr. Morford indicated that the water line is in and functioning and that the sewage lift station is nearly complete. An invoice from Guthrie and Tezak for \$22,571.76 was presented. This represents a 90% completion of the Industrial Park. Mr. Morford recommended that the invoice be paid. Moved by Bovee, supported by McEvers that the invoice be paid. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS: An invoice from Richards, Findorff and Richards was received for engineering on the sewer extension to Vroom Trucking Co. The amount was \$101.04. Mr. Morford recommended payment. Moved by McEvers, supported by Bovee that the invoice be paid. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

(b) A request was received from Leo Lovejoy for a donation to the 1974 American Legion Christmas Party for area children. Moved by Hanson, supported by Bovee that a donation of \$25.00 be made. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

(c) A discussion of possible sewage facilities for Camp AuSable was held. Mr. Morford will follow up and report back to Council.

(d) The City accounts receivable were discussed and will be taken up at a later meeting.

REPORTS OF COUNCIL: (a) Mr. McEvers reported on the January 11, 1974 NEMRP&DC meeting at Higgins Lake. He proposed that as Mayor of Grayling he contact by letter the Mayors and Township Supervisors of those cities and townships in the Northeast Region to enlist support for City and Township representation on the NEMRP&DC Executive Committee. Councilmen Hanson and Bovee agreed.

(b) Moved by Bovee, supported by Hanson that a bill for \$30.00 per diem for Mayor McEvers attendance at the meeting be approved. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

(c) A letter from General Telephone on the Line 911 emergency service was read. City Manager is to schedule a meeting with Council to review this service at a later date.

MR. MORFORD REPORTED ON THE FOLLOWING: (a) City Time Deposit Certificates and finance handling.

(b) Hiring of new police officer and training schedule. The new officer is Warren Hatfield. He and Sergeant Haas will commence training in East Lansing on January 21, 1974.

(c) APWA meeting on energy to be held January 22, 1974. The meeting will be at Chief Shoppenagons Hotel. Subject is the energy crisis and local government.

(d) A stress line meeting will be held on Thursday, January 17, 1974 at the office of the City Manager.

(e) Enforcement of the Grayling Housing Ordinance was discussed.

(f) Motion by McEvers, supported by Bovee that the City Council of Grayling reaffirm its commitment to former employees, Harold Cliff, Gerald Blaine and Agnes Hanson at their present level. The contributions to continue until changed by council action or the demise of the receivers. Contributions are Harold Cliff - \$55.00 monthly, Gerald Blaine - \$50.00 monthly, and Agnes Hanson - \$50.00 monthly. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

(g) A bill from County Road Commission received for road gravel — 2100 yards at \$1.40 per yard — \$2,940.00. Moved by Bovee, supported by Hanson that the bill be paid. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

(h) A letter from Fred Smith, new DNR Coordinator in Roscommon, was received.

(i) A letter from Michigan Municipal League received re: system of travel vouchers.

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Rev. Wayne Simmons, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
Midweek Prayer, Wed. 7:00 p.m.

**Reorganized Church of Jesus**  
Christ of Latter Day Saints  
Corner of North Down River Rd. and South Millikin Rd.  
Pastor, Norval Stephan  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Prayer 11 a.m.  
Midweek Service, Prayer 7:30 p.m.

**LOVELLS CHAPEL**  
Rev. Harold Hazzard  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**ST. JOHN EVANGELICAL  
LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
(LCA Synod)  
501 Michigan Ave.  
Robert F. Haskel, Pastor  
Phone 348-8201  
Worship Services 11 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

**Calvary Baptist Church**  
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Pastor Robert Barnett  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.  
Lenten and Bible Class Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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The Rev. John Carlson, Vicar  
Sunday Services 10:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.  
Lenten Service 7:00 p.m.  
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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Pastor Glenn Arnsnoe  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.  
Lenten Service 7:30 p.m.

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Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.  
Lenten Service 7:30 p.m.

**Free Methodist Church**  
Rev. H. A. Hennig  
Pastor of Frederic on Co.  
101 1/2 Maple Forest Twp.  
Sunday School 9:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.  
Lenten Service 7:30 p.m.

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**BENEFIT FOR FIRE VICTIMS** — Mitch Pieknik, owner and manager of the Arrowhead Inn, serves a portion of 161 pounds of roast beef served at a benefit dinner sponsored by the Inn for Bill and Jennie Taylor who lost all their belongings in a fire which swept their home last Wednesday morning. The major portion of the funds collected at the dinner was turned over to the Taylors to aid in replacing some of the items which were destroyed. Arrowhead Inn employees donated their time in preparing and serving the meal. Cannisters are placed in all of the bars in Grayling and Frederic for people who wish to donate money in behalf of the Taylors.

#### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank all my friends, and relatives for so many nice things done for me while I was in the hospital, so many nice cards and letters and gifts. Especially, thanks to the doctors and nurses at Mercy Hospital. God love all of you.

Corden Crosby

#### CARD OF THANKS

The kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow will always remain with us a precious memory. Our sincere thanks and gratitude for all those comforting acts.

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#### LEGAL NOTICES

##### STATE OF MICHIGAN Before The Michigan Public Service Commission

in the matter of the investigation on the Commission's own motion to determine the need for revision in charges relating to underground extensions under the Uniform Underground Electric Extension Policy.

Case No. U-4508  
At a session of the Michigan Public Service Commission held at its offices in the city of Lansing, Michigan, on the 21st day of January, 1974.

**PRESENT:**  
Hon. William G. Rosenberg,  
Chairman  
Hon. Lenton G. Sculthorp,  
Commissioner  
Hon. William R. Ralls,  
Commissioner

##### ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING

By order dated August 10, 1970 in Case No. U-3001, the Commission approved its Rules and Regulations Governing the Extension of Underground Electric Distribution Lines. The Commission's order dated August 17, 1970 confirmed and adopted said rules and regulations.

These rules and regulations contain provisions for contributions in aid of construction applicable to extensions of underground electric distribution and service lines in residential subdivisions and to commercial and industrial extensions. The rules established charges of \$1.00 per lot front foot for distribution lines and \$1.25 per foot for service lines in residential subdivisions, and a charge of \$2.00 per trench foot for commercial and industrial extensions. In response to requests by residential home builders and developers, members of the Legislature and utility companies, the Commission believes that it would be in the public interest to review these charges. If the Commission finds that the current costs of construction of overhead and underground extensions are to any extent different from those upon which the above charges were based, it proposes to fix different charges to reflect the change in the difference in costs.

The Commission FINDS that:  
a. Jurisdiction in this matter is pursuant to Act 106, P.A. 1969, as amended, M.C.L.A. 460.551 et seq; Act 419, P.A. 1915, as amended, M.C.L.A. 460.51 et seq; Act 3, P.A. 1933, as amended, M.C.L.A. 460.1 et seq; Act 306, P.A. 1969, as amended, M.C.L.A. 24.201 et seq; and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 1954 Administrative Code, Supplement No. 54, R 460.11.

b. A hearing should be held to determine the proper and reasonable charge per lot front foot for distribution lines and the proper and reasonable charge for service lines in residential subdivisions, and the proper and reasonable charge for commercial and industrial extensions under the Commission's Uniform Underground Electric Extension Policy.

c. All public utilities, including rural electric cooperatives, providing electric service in the Lower Peninsula mainland should be required to provide specific data for the Commission's consideration in this matter.

##### THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

A. The Commission, on its own motion, will conduct an investigation to determine whether there should be revision in the charges of \$1.00 per lot front foot for distribution lines and \$1.25 per foot for service lines in residential subdivisions, and the charge of \$2.00 per trench foot for commercial and industrial extensions under the Commission's Uniform Underground Electric Extension Policy.

B. Each public utility, including rural electric cooperatives, providing electric service in the Lower Peninsula mainland shall, on or before February 4, 1974, prepare and submit to the Commission, together with its proposed testimony, an original and 7 copies of studies for the years 1971, 1972 and 1973 showing its average differential in cost between overhead and underground extensions in residential subdivisions and also the average difference in cost between overhead and underground commercial and industrial extensions. In addition, each such public utility shall submit to the Commission 50 copies of its testimony and studies for distribution to interested parties requesting copies of same.

C. A public hearing will be held at 9:30 a.m. on February 25, 1974 in the Auditorium, Law Building, Lansing, Michigan, and continue, if necessary, on February 26, 27 and 28, 1974, in the offices of the Commission, Law Building, Lansing, Michigan 48913 for the purpose of receiving testimony and evidence concerning this matter. Any interested parties may attend the hearing and participate, subject to the provisions of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

D. Any party wishing to intervene in this investigation shall, in accordance with Rule 11 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, file with the Commission an original and 7 copies of a petition to intervene at least five (5) days prior to February 25, 1974.

E. Each public utility, including rural electric cooperatives, providing electric service shall, on or before February 15, 1974, notify the public of the hearing by publishing a copy of this Order and Notice of Hearing in newspapers of general circulation published within its service area and by mailing a copy of this Order and Notice of Hearing to all cities, incorporated villages, counties and townships within its service area. Proofs of publication and service are to be submitted at or before the scheduled hearing.

The Commission specifically reserves jurisdiction of the matters therein contained & the authority to issue such further order or orders as the facts and circumstances may require.

##### MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

/s/ William G. Rosenberg  
Chairman  
/s/ Lenton G. Sculthorp  
Commissioner  
/s/ William R. Ralls  
Commissioner

(SEAL)  
By the Commission and pursuant to its action of January 21, 1974  
/s/ Earl B. Klomparens  
Its Secretary

## Viking Matmen In 1st Victory

The Grayling mat men got their first taste of victory on Wednesday, Jan. 23, as they downed Onaway 33 to 27 on Grayling home mat.

At 98 pounds Grayling had to forfeit 6 points to Onaway as Grayling as of yet doesn't have a 98 pound boy to wrestle at that weight division. At 105 pounds Rob Roy Okerman pinned his man giving Grayling 6 points. At 112 pounds Carl Partello won a decision giving Grayling 3 more points. 119 pound Toc Okerman pinned his man to give Grayling 6 more points.

126 pound Grant Byce lost his match by a decision. Wrestling at 132 pounds for Grayling Curtis Robinson won on a forfeit. 138 pound Dan Walker got his first pin this year and gave Grayling 6 more points. At 145 pounds Bernie Larson won on a decision giving Grayling 3 more points. Bill Weiman 155 pounds lost his match. 167 pound Steve Walker lost to his opponent. At 185 pounds for Grayling Brian Fitzpatrick lost his match to a pin. Don Vollmer, heavyweight for Grayling won his match by a decision giving Grayling their first Varsity Wrestling match victory.

The two Okerman brothers, Rob Roy and Toc, who is this year's Captain, have only lost two matches out of 19 this year. Carl Partello has a record of 9 wins and 4 losses. Don Vollmer's record is 8 wins and 4 losses. At the Kalkaska tournament Rob Roy Okerman was a second place medal winner. Grant Byce also brought a second place medal home and Toc Okerman won the first place gold medal.

At the Charlevoix Tournament, Don Vollmer brought a second place medal home and Carl Partello also brought home a second place medal.

If you haven't gotten out to see one of Grayling's new variety wrestling matches yet, be sure to do so as the Viking matmen are sure something to be proud of.

## Volunteer Aid Program

### "Help Me Read"

Each week this column strives to keep the communities in the Crawford AuSable School District informed as to the goals and needs of the Volunteer Aid Program. The next three issues will be devoted to answering a few of our most often asked questions.

#### WHO IS A VOLUNTEER AID?

A volunteer aid is an adult who is willing to give time and talent to help out as a member of the "Education Team", made up of administrator, teachers, and volunteers.

Volunteer aids must like people, want to help the school, and have the time to devote a few hours a week to the task.

#### WHY ARE VOLUNTEERS IMPORTANT?

Volunteers are playing an increasingly vital role in the whole education picture because they:

1. Improve instruction by permitting more individual help to students under the direction of a teacher.

2. Enrich Curriculum by adding the experience of the volunteers' special interests, hobbies and avocations to the knowledge of the classroom teachers.

3. Increase School/Community Relations by bringing more adults from the community to the children, to show relevance of their education.

4. Help Close The "Generation Gap" by providing more opportunities for children and adults to exchange ideas . . . a "two way", important fringe benefit.

WHAT ARE THE REWARDS? New friends, new skills, the joy of serving others.

The next issue will deal with the following questions and answers. How a volunteer aid helps everyone. Who can become a volunteer aid. How a volunteer aid can be trained.

If you are interested in sharing part of yourself with your community schools and at the same time increase your own interests and abilities, please contact Irene Pettijohn at 348-7641, or stop by the Grayling Elementary School.

## BOWLING

### Northwood League

1. Bear Archery	13
2. Joy Lynn Ceramics	10
3. Don's Pipe Shop	9
4. Bob's Car Wash	8
5. Greene's Party Store	8
6. Holiday Inn	6
7. Safari Lounge	6
8. Laurine's	4
High single: J. Rasmussen: 197, 198, 212; M. Oles, 186; E. Helsel, 182.	
High series: J. Rasmussen: 607; J. Campbell, 469; M. Oles, 463.	

### Recreation League

1. Dingmans Tavern	12
2. Olson's	11
3. Grayling Bank	11
4. AuSable Hotel	10
5. Culligan Soft Water	9
6. Lovell's Bar	9
7. Bay City Times	8
8. R & H Sport Center	8
9. Wag-On-Inn	8
10. Ski Whiz Snowmobiles	7
11. Recreational	7
12. Legion Lanes	7
13. Bill's Laundry	6
14. Kozy Korner	6
15. Glen's Market	6
16. Rochettes	3
High series: M. Reed, 527; E. Howlett, 503; C. Barrow, 502.	
High game: B. Donnelly, 201; M. Coc, 197; B. LaChappelle, 195.	

### Senior Citizens

1. Kelloggs Corners	36
2. R & H Sports	35 1/2
3. Gambles	35 1/2
4. Mae's Drug	32
5. Glen's Market	30
6. First Savings	24
High series, men: L. Sponsler, 528; D. Cook, 465; E. Schramm, 464.	
High single, men: B. Campbell, 200; L. Sponsler, 199; E. Schramm, 187.	
High series, women: I. Hendee, 451; M. Cook, 421; V. Lesperance, 405.	
High single, women: M. Cook, 168; I. Hendee, 153; V. Lesperance, 149.	

### Sunday Mixed Doubles

1. Millers Tires	12
2. Beaver Bend Lodge	9
3. Farm Bureau	9
4. Big Wheel	8
5. Deckers Fixit Shop	8
6. Luzerne Hardware	7
7. R & H Sports	5 1/2
8. General Tel.	5 1/2
High series, men: K. Helsel, 590; B. Tobin, 506; T. Trenary, 497.	
High game, men: K. Helsel, 229; B. Tobin, 206; T. Trenary, 192.	
High series, women: L. Tobin, 521; E. Helsel, 478; C. Golinick, 467.	
High game, women: L. Tobin, 230; E. Helsel, 190; F. Shires, 186.	

## Summer Resident Dies In Detroit

Dr. Carleton J. Marinus, a Detroit endocrinologist died Monday, Jan. 7, at Jennings Memorial Hospital. He was 80. A memorial service was held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church.

Dr. Marinus donated his body to the Wayne State University Medical School.

He was a member of the Rainbow Club for years and also was a summer resident of Grayling.

## Jack Pine's Stump

This has been quite a week for Old Jack. Not the least important event was the acquisition of a new typewriter ribbon, which, considering the age of my machine, is no mean feat. Anyway, having installed said ribbon and getting my hands all black in the process, I was admiring black typing again, when there came a knocking at the door. There stood some teenagers. Some young adults and some old goats my age. They had a plan which they felt I might be able to help with. They want to start an underground paper and needed my help. "It was to be in the Jack Pine style," they said — "sloppy, careless, screwed-up syntax and utterly without specially redeeming value." "No way," I told them, explaining that I had enough trouble as it was with the present Jack. "No matter," the spokesman said, "You'll be blamed for it anyway," and threw down a rough draft of what they had in mind. Indeed, I would be blamed for it. It is written as I would write it (only better), says what I say privately and repeats nasty stories which I tell only to my friends. It also accuses the Stump of being rotten to the core and losing its bark. Anyway, if this thing ever does appear, Jack Pine had nothing to do with it, even though he may agree with some of the items which may appear.

— JP —

I have to mention that Ox Roast again. Many people, seeing the Ox Roast sign, didn't feel they would like to participate, not knowing what an ox was. In fact, I wasn't sure myself, so I asked. Mitch gave me several amazing and horrifying answers, then admitted that an Ox used to be a steer made into a feast of burden. Now it was just good old roast beef. And it was really good, too.

— JP —

Speaking of dinners and the like, someone ought to give a great big party for the Grayling Ski Team. It's the best we have ever had and the boys are tearing up every course they race. The girls aren't far behind them, either. Great team, great coaching.

— JP —

Someone told me that if you want winter to pass quickly, go to the bank and get a ninety day note. Amen.

— JP —

One last comment. To paraphrase a stock market saying, "Grayling is getting a bit bullish." And to also paraphrase a novelty song of a few years back, "Be kind to your flat-footed friends, for a Bull may be somebody's buddy!" So much for the lesson of the day.

Jack Pine

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## Scouts Hold Awards Banquet

The annual awards banquet for Grayling Troop 997 was held at the Grayling Sportsmen's club Monday, Jan. 21. The following boys received progress awards: Life Scout, Mike Campbell and Ross Helmick; 2nd Class and 1st Class, Mike Lattimer; Scoutmaster and Tenderfoot, Greg Peterson and Loren Goodale; Tenderfoot, Woody Sherman; and Scoutmaster, Terry Hepler, Dean Morford, Dan Vore, Mark Whaley, Jeff Johnson, and Steve Dean.

Boys winning a multitude of merit badges too numerous to mention were: Loren Goodale, Wally Robinson, Mike Campbell, Tom Whaley, Ross Helmick, Ken Helmick, Greg Peterson, Bill Hartig, Mark Whaley, Dan Vore, Woody Sherman, Steve Dean, Brian Rettell, Dean Morford, Richard Allen, and Jeff Johnson.

Patches were awarded to boys who braved sub-zero temperatures and camped out overnight for the "Polar Bear" award. Real COOL boys were Richard Allen, Mike Campbell, Steve Dean, Loren Goodale, Bill Hartig, Ken Helmick, Greg Peterson, Dan Vore, Tom Whaley, and their loyal and trusted scoutmaster D. MacLean.

A pleasant extra was the gift of a Scouters Statuette, replica of the famous statue called "The Boy Scout", which the boys of the troop presented to Scoutmaster Dave MacLean.

The Scouts will be having a flea market, bake sale, etc. on the weekend of 8-9 of February. Details later.

## Booster Club Meeting

Meeting called to order by President Auman.

All members present. Bendig, Miller, O'Mara and Fornell have excused absence.

Minutes and financial reports called for and accepted as read. Auman gave a jacket report.

Melisaac reported on band uniforms.

Dinner for Senior Citizens bus fund was discussed.

Motion by Kaiser supported by Woodward that Melisaac and Montague be in charge of this dinner. Motion carried.

Melisaac and Bendig reported on meeting with citizens of Houghton Lake on how a Booster Club is organized.

Auman gave a report on Athletic banquet he attended.

Arwood reported on Little League.

Auman is to see about Booster Club jacket night at a basketball game.

Skating rink is in fine shape. Motion by Montague supported by Worden that lights be turned off at church athletic field. Motion carried. They will be turned on when needed.

Being no further business a motion by Worden supported by Chapp that we adjourn.

Gene Kaiser, Sec. & Treas.

## Road Commissioners Minutes

January 11, 1974

A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling, Michigan a hearing being held on the petition of June C. Lane for probate of a purported will, for granting of administration to the executor named or some other suitable person and for a determination of heirs.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. A motion was made by Comm. Mattis, supported by Comm. Johnson, that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Voucher No. 01-74 covering Payroll No. 1 in the amount of \$15,644.43 and Vouchers No. 02 to 28 covering Materials in the amount of \$16,065.88 were presented for approval. A motion was made by Comm. Johnson, supported by Comm. Mattis, that Vouchers No. 01 to 28 be approved and warrants drawn in their respective amounts. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The annual reorganization of the Road Commission was implemented with Ervin E. Richter as Chairman and Harold T. Johnson as Chairman Pro-Tem for 1974 and with John M. Keir, Engineer - Manager, Norman H. Feldhauser, Superintendent; Florence S. Douglas, Secretary and Jennie P. Annis, Time Keeper, retained in their present positions for 1974.

A discussion was held on alternate methods for deicing Black Top Roads, and a discussion was held also on snowmobile signing, and Engr. Mgr. Keir reported that supplemental panels have been ordered to add to the symbolic signs already erected.

Following the business meeting a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

/s/ Ervin E. Richter, Chrm.  
/s/ Florence S. Douglas, Sec'y

## County Board of Commissioners Proceedings

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 16th day of January 1974.

Meeting called to order by Leo E. Lovely, County Clerk.

Roll Call. Lawrence Gust, Fred Kauffman, Earl Longworth, Bernard Maurer, Dean Welch, Albert Westervelt. All Present. Leonard Knibbs, Absent.

This being an organizational meeting, the Clerk called for a motion for temporary chairman.

MOTION by Kauffman, supported by Welch, that we continue with same Chairman and Chairman Pro-Tem as in 1973. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Whereupon, Chairman Longworth asked Mr. Kauffman for invocation.

Next order of business was to set up the following committees for 1974. First named commissioner is chairman of that committee.

FINANCE: Gust, Westervelt, Knibbs.

LAW ENFORCEMENT: Maurer, Westervelt, Knibbs.

HEALTH & WELFARE: Kauffman, Knibbs, Maurer.

BUILDING: Knibbs, Maurer, Welch.

PERSONNEL: Gust, Welch, Westervelt.

ROADS & BRIDGES: Welch, Kauffman, Knibbs.

ALLOCATION: Gust.

REGIONAL PLANNING AND DEV.: Longworth, Kauffman-Alternate.

### LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In the District Court —  
3rd Judicial District  
GENERAL ELECTRIC  
CREDIT CORPORATION  
a New York Corporation,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
DONALD TROJANIK  
Defendant.

ORDER TO ANSWER  
At a session of said Court held in District Court for the County of Crawford, at Grayling, Michigan, on this 4th day of January, 1974.

PRESENT: HONORABLE Francis L. Walsh, District Judge.  
Upon reading and filing Plaintiff's Ex Parte Motion for Order Allowing Substituted Service as provided for in DCR 105.8, and the Court being fully advised in the premises;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant, DONALD TROJANIK, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 21st day of February, 1974. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

Francis L. Walsh,  
District Judge  
Order Prepared by:  
Louis P. Labbe  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
725 S. Adams Rd., Suite 242  
Birmingham, Michigan 48011  
Tel: (313) 645-0122

17-24-31-74

### LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
Probate Court for the  
County of Crawford  
Estate of Charles A. Lane, deceased.

It is Ordered that on Friday, February 8, 1974, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of June C. Lane for probate of a purported will, for granting of administration to the executor named or some other suitable person and for a determination of heirs.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
Dated: January 11, 1974.  
/s/ Emil L. Kraus  
Judge of Probate

### LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
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County of Crawford  
Estate of Margaret Bragg, deceased.

It is Ordered that on Friday, February 8, 1974, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of William Bragg for granting administration of the estate of Margaret Bragg, deceased, to John B. Huss or some other suitable person and for a determination of heirs.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
Dated: January 9, 1974.  
/s/ Emil L. Kraus  
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### BARGAINING REPRESENTATIVE: Gust.

R. C. & D.: Maurer.

CHAPLAIN: Kauffman.

DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS: Welch, 3 years; Gust, 2 years; Westervelt, 2 years; Knibbs, 1 year; John Keir, 1 year.

NORTHERN CO. ASSN.: Kauffman.

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS: Howard Taylor.

Committee reports were begun at this time.

HEALTH & WELFARE COMMITTEE REPORT by Kauffman. He gave a resume of District Health Department No. 1 meeting in Lansing. Annual Meeting will be held January 30 and 31. He sat in on the Arbitration Committee with the nurses of the District Health Dept. He reported on Parks Board meeting. Construction work on the footbridge will begin in the spring.

Northern Counties Association meeting was reported by Mr. Welch. The Chairman was unable to attend the meeting because of illness, so a general discussion was held. Next meeting of the Association will be the fourth Thursday in January.

Larry Hunter, Equalization Department, appeared before the Board in regard to the policy of the county in regard to retirement of his employee, Charles Knecht. Prosecuting Attorney was called in, and a general discussion was held as to procedures for termination of employment.

MOTION by Gust, supported by Maurer, that this Board hire Rolia Failing at a rate of \$150.00 per week in the absence of Roy Papefus while he is ill. Roll Call. Gust, Maurer, Kauffman, Longworth, Welch, Westervelt, All Aye.

MOTION by Maurer, supported by Kauffman, that this Board hire Darlene Thomas to replace Mrs. Ella Belle Goodwin in the Equalization Department, at a rate of \$200.00 per year. Roll Call. Maurer, Kauffman, Gust, Longworth, Welch, Westervelt, All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Gust, supported by Westervelt, when the time clock is installed, the County will revert to an hourly rate and a two week pay period. Roll Call. Gust, Westervelt, Kauffman, Knibbs, Longworth, Welch, All Aye. Motion Carried.

BUILDING COMMITTEE REPORT by Maurer. Gas furnace has been installed in the Sheriff Department. Roof has been put in between the Commissioners' room and the Sheriff's garage, for an equipment shelter.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS REPORT by Gust. The Public Works Department has purchased a Compactor Tractor, and has let bids for a building 40' x 60' to be erected at the Sanitary Land Fill. They are working to have this operable by spring.

Mr. Joe Wakeley, County Treasurer, reported on Swamp Tax monies for the townships and county, as follows:

Beaver Creek Township 4,376.01  
Frederic Township 3,578.47  
Grayling Township 6,945.75  
Lovells Township 6,150.24  
Maple Forest Township 1,389.57  
South Branch Township 741.04

Mr. Wakeley also gave the Board a report of all the bank accounts of the county.

MOTION by Gust, supported by Maurer, that all Revenue Sharing money be put into the General Fund of the county. Roll Call. All Aye. Carried.

ROADS & BRIDGES COMMITTEE REPORT by Welch. Road Commission has been cut back on salting of roads because of the energy crisis. Mr. Welch suggested a joint meeting of township supervisors and the Road Commission in regard to the building of roads in the county.

LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT by Maurer. Total ambulance trips billed for 1973 were \$4,904.00 of which \$4,234.00 was paid. Total mileage covered by the Sheriff's cars was 200,347 miles. Ambulance quarterly report has been prepared and sent in to Lansing.

Mr. Howard Taylor, Civil Defense Director, appeared before the board in regard to a resolution to establish Crawford County Emergency Preparedness.

MOTION by Gust, supported by Kauffman, to pass the following resolution. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried. See Resolution next week's issue.

Letter from certain county employees was read.

Board held a discussion on the letter and gave the following wage comparison between 1972 and 1973: It is the understanding of the Board that their wages are not high enough.

Wages 1972 — \$5900.00  
Wages 1973 — \$6,006.00  
Raise — \$206.00 (Deducted) — \$278.82 plus increase in S. S., City & State taxes.

MOTION by Gust, supported by Welch, that the County Clerk be instructed to pay all county employees as per 1974 Budget figures and any other Board action. Roll Call All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Gust, supported by Welch that the wishes of the five employees signed above be granted, that they will not receive their 5% increase in wages

until negotiations are completed between AFL-CIO, Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Kauffman, supported by Maurer, that the Register of Deeds salary be increased 5% for 1974, same as the other county employees, which will make his salary total \$8,897.00. Roll Call. Kauffman, Maurer, Gust, Longworth, Westervelt — All Aye. Motion Carried.

Mr. Harry Travis, of North-east Michigan Regional Planning Commission, appeared before the Board and explained where their offices are located and the various types of work they do. They are available to help the counties with any services in their field. He gave a report of an interesting and informative meeting at the DNR Training School in Higgins Lake in January.

Sheriff Hatfield presented a report of work done in his department in the year 1973. He told the Board that they are badly in need of a copy machine. The Sheriff's cars are badly in need of repair. He has checked into leasing of cars, with no success, and he feels the department needs two cars. He discussed the Drug Lab with the Board. The washer and dryer in the jail need replacing.

Letter from Mr. Nichols, of the Office of Control and Abuse of Substance — Alcohol & Drugs — was read to the Board, and turned over to the Sheriff Department.

Letter from Mr. Lindenman, Michigan Association of Animal Control Officers, in regard to Dog Law administration was read to the Board and placed on file.

Mrs. Roberta Wright, representative Department of Social Services, appeared before the Board in regard to moving the offices of that department. General discussion was held, and the matter was turned over to the committee.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT by Gust.

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully submit the following as their report and do hereby recommend that the several amounts scheduled herein be allowed, and that the Clerk of this Board be authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer.

Name of Claimant	Character of Claim	Allowed and Rejected
City of Grayling	Utilities, City garage	592.20
Consumers Power Co.	Electrical serv.	536.45
Mich. Con. Gas Co.	Gas service	540.35
Dean P. Carron, M.D.	Cir. Crt., Attorney fees	237.50
Cir. Crt. & Friend of Crt.	Salaries and expenses	3,592.53
Edith L. Paul	Jury Comm. expenses	18.00
Nels Olson	Jury Comm. expenses	16.00
Harvey Rowland	Jury Comm. expenses	16.00
Cornell Agency, Inc. Ins.	Probate Crt.	10.00
Curtis Reporting Co.	Bond/Betty Palmer	10.00
Drs. Dosch & Burkley	Probate & Dist. Crt.	456.00
Judge R. H. Lange, Sec. Treas.	Recorder & Transcripts	99.00
Peggy Czuba	Various Prof. Serv.	50.00
Crawford Co. Avalanche, Inc.	Probate dues	93.35
Prosecuting Attorneys Assn.	1 wk. vacation	66.52
	Various Pfr., off. sup.	100.00
	Pros. Atty. dues	Rej. 50.00
Mich. Tourist Assn.	Commissioners dues	550.00
Mich. Assn. of Counties	Commissioners dues	810.00
Joe Durga	Crt. Hse. Grounds Main.	150.00
Roche's Shell Service	Crt. Hse. Equip. & Rep.	2.10
Gray Lumber & Supply Inc.	Crt. Hse. & Lab supplies	665.03
Miller Hardware	Equip. & supplies	95.57
Ben Franklin	Supplies	33.79
Auto. Parts & Supply	Equip. & supplies	89.74
Hoerl's Decorating Shop	Bldg. maintenance	33.45
Modern Lock & Repair	Lock repair	7.50
Cadillac Janitor Supply	Crt. Hse. janitor supp.	92.82
Fochtman Motor Co.	Equip. & supplies	209.93
Richard Rasmussen	Crt. Hse. Bldg. roof	418.21
Stendier Paper Co.	Janitor supplies	141.58
Grayling Office Supply	Office supplies	69.40
Douglas Bros. & Co.	Office supplies	159.86
Mich. Assn. of County Clerks	Clerk dues	15.00
Ottawa County Clerk	Office supplies	32.40
The Drawing Board, Inc.	Office supplies	3.91
Wares Bros. Inc.	Office supplies	23.50
Prentice-Hall Inc.	Freight	11.50
Short Freight Lines, Inc.	Safety Deposit box	6.00
Grayling State Bank	Equip. repair	51.75
Clinton Office Equip. Co., Inc.	Reg. of Deeds/meter	6.00
Pitney Bowes	Reg. of Deeds dues	20.00
Donna E. Donmyer, Treas.	Main. contracts & supp.	56.02
Commercial Equip. Co.	Rejected 790.00	
Marshall & Swift Publ. Co.	Equal. subscription	45.00
Carl F. Miller	Staff appraiser ex.	11.40
Charles H. Knecht	Staff appraiser ex.	41.20
Willard Bosserman	Co-op Ext. Serv. ex.	91.69
Gambles	Supplies	61.70
Wegner Hard & Supply Co.	Supplies & equip.	14.87
Ben Franklin-Family Center	Office supplies	1.47
Mac's Drug Store	Equip. & supplies	237.70
Grayling Oil Co.	Sheriff car expenses	59.26
North Central Oil Co.	Sheriff - tires	106.36
DuBois Lumber Co.	Sheriff - Bldg. material	104.58
Commercial Electronics	Sheriff - Equip. repair	30.00
Total Leonard, Inc.	Sheriff - car expense	126.00
Standard Oil — Grayling	Sheriff - car expense	728.32
Motorola Inc.	Sheriff - radio main.	79.60
Tufts Dist. Co., Inc.	Sheriff - equip. & supp.	39.06
Motorola Comm. & Elec., Inc.	Sheriff - radio main.	153.30
Shell Oil Co.	Sheriff - car exp./Amb.	285.61
Mercy Hospital	Hospital exams	45.00
Okey's Co-2	Amb. - supplies	85.60
Bill's Laundry	Jail - laundry	39.00
Cadillac Overall Supply Co.	Jail - laundry	49.06
Gray. Chamber of Commerce	Commissioners dues	1,500.00
Dist. Health Dept. No. 1	Health - appropriation	6,808.50
Top O' Mich. Rural Elec. Co.	Airport expense	64.06
Xerox	Xerox rental	133.56
Crawford County TV	Airport expense	23.35
Robert E. Pierce, M.D.	Autopsy	100.00
Bill Hart Ford Inc.	Airport expense	620.41
Sun & Snow Equip.	Snowmobile supplies	15.84
Beckman Instruments, Inc.	Drug Lab - Equip & supp.	6,581.06
Arthur H. Thomas & Co.	Equip. & supplies	104.27
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	Drug Lab - handbook	20.48
Assn. of Official Anal. Chem.	Office supplies	37.00
National Scientific Co., Inc.	Drug Lab - supplies	7.60
Carl Lugvlied	Drug Lab expenses	39.61
Ella Belle Goodwin	Drug Lab. postage, etc.	5.73
Crawford Co. Abstract Co.	Reg. of Deeds Off. supp.	28.16
Leo E. Lovely	Travel expenses	15.80
Larry Hunter	Travel expense	33.20
Charles A. Easterly	Mileage	60.00

MOTION by Welch, supported by Maurer, that the report of the Finance Committee be approved and accepted. Roll Call. Welch, Maurer, Gust, Kauffman, Longworth, Westervelt — All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Gust, supported by Welch, that the Board approve the Road Commissioners' bills in the amount of \$184.13. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Kauffman, supported by Westervelt, that the Director of Emergency Preparedness be paid \$30.00 per day, \$20.00 per half day, and 12c per mile. Kauffman, Westervelt, Gust, Longworth, Maurer, Welch All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Welch, supported by Kauffman, to appropriate \$790.00 for economic promotion for the County and Townships in down state newspapers, due to adverse conditions in Crawford County brought on by the economic crisis, only if the same amount is appropriated by the City. Aye — Welch, Kauffman,

Longworth, Westervelt. No — Gust, Maurer. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Gust, supported by Westervelt, that James Duley be reappointed to the Library Board for a term of five (5) years. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Letter from U. S. Department of Agriculture Forest Service advised the Board of U.S. Land conveyed to State of Michigan in Crawford County.

Mr. Kauffman announced that the Second District Association meeting will be held at Sugar Loaf on January 24th.

Bills of the commissioners were allowed.

Lawrence Gust 99.00  
Fred Kauffman 113.00  
Earl H. Longworth 191.15  
Bernard Maurer 116.50  
Dean L. Welch 97.20  
Albert A. Westervelt 30.00

MOTION by Welch, supported by Kauffman, to adjourn. Carried Unanimously.

Earl H. Longworth, Chrm.  
Leo E. Lovely, Clerk

### LEGAL NOTICE

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Probate Court for the  
County of Crawford  
Estate of Leona Dumlago, aka Leona Dumlago, deceased.

It is Ordered that on April 10, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Crawford Co., Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held at which time all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims prior to or at the time of such hearing. Creditors must file a sworn claim with the Court and serve a copy on Harry Fisher, Executor of said Estate, Crawford County Court Building, Grayling, Michigan.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
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## Viking Boy Skiers Still Unbeaten

Midway through the League ski schedule the Viking Boys still remain undefeated. Doyle City appears to be the only team left with a shot at the Vikings.  
On Wednesday, Jan. 23rd the Vikings defeated Charlevoix by a score of 299.5 seconds to 324.9 for the Rayders.  
Dave King was the meets top skier as the Vikings placed in the first with 2nd in slalom and 1st in Giant Slalom. Herb Olsen was second overall with 1st in slalom and 2nd in Giant Slalom. Dennis Theaker placed 3rd overall with a 3rd and 6th. Kevin Sloan placed 5th overall with a 5th and 8th, Kevin Zimmerman 8th with an 8th and 5th and Tom Vajda 12th with a 12th and 9th.  
The Viking Girls are still unable to put three girls down the hill standing up as they lost to Charlevoix by a score of 247.6 to 255.0.  
Top Viking Skier was Holly Knibbs with 4th combined in the meet with a 3rd in slalom and 6th in Giant Slalom. Paula Hunter placed 5th overall with 4th in slalom and 10th in Giant Slalom. Julie Goss placed 7th overall with an 8th and 4th followed by Tanya Sojka 8th overall on a 7th in slalom and 9th in Giant Slalom. Karen Graham placed 11th with a 12th in slalom and 7th in Giant Slalom. Wendy Gee placed 11th in Slalom and disqualified in Giant Slalom.  
The Viking Ski team will be giving free racing instructions to all local skiers in preparation for the carnival weekend races. Classes will be Saturday afternoons from 1:00 to 2:00 at Bear Mt., according to ski coach, Mike Wieland.

## Another Tax Cut Looms, Governor Tells Solons

(By Sen. John Toepf)  
Lansing — The Governor's annual State of the State message always sets the broad outlines of what a new legislative session will face and Gov. William G. Milliken's message last Thursday contained something old and something new — the best of the new being his proposal for another tax reduction amounting to an estimated \$107 million over the next two years.  
The governor indicated that his proposed tax reduction, details of which he will provide in his regular budget message, would again favor the lower income group, the blind, the senior citizens, the disabled, and corporations.  
Added to the \$389 million reduction just now under way, this would give Michigan residents much welcome tax relief in the months ahead.

The Governor said his program, if adopted, would provide tax relief for farmers in return for a pledge to keep their land in agriculture. He promised an "annual rebate on property taxes" for farmers.  
While he did not say where the money would come from for the tax relief, the Governor said his budget would "support state services at adequate levels, while taking advantage of the reducing demand in certain areas, such as education enrollments and state institution populations."  
He added that "even as the number of persons in school, in mental hospitals, in colleges and universities stabilizes and declines, it will provide increased support in state resources."

The biggest share of the proposed tax cut — \$31 million a year — would go to families with incomes of not more than \$13,000 a year and would be in the form of rebates of sales taxes on food. It would average about \$6 a year per person.

While the Governor's message covered a wide range of subjects including election reform, open government meetings, shorter fall election campaigns, creation of new jobs, greater tourist promotion efforts, transportation, the cities, crime and drugs and many others, it dwelt at length on several proposals for consumer protection — some of them new but many carried over from the last session.

He urged elimination of the holder-in-due course doctrine in automobile sales, provision for recourse for persons who have

## Holiday Inn Honors Employees



In recognition of one year's distinguished service, a special luncheon was held on Wednesday, Jan. 23 at the Holiday Inn, Grayling, for eight employees.  
From left, top row: Mary Kay Hinkle, Front Desk Clerk; Merry Lynn Stillwagon, Front Desk Supervisor; Vi Cockroft, Safari Lounge Supervisor; Lucille Searls, waitress; Constance Campeau, housekeeping.  
From left, front row: Elisa Campeau, housekeeping; Madelyn ("Billie") Ritter, housekeeping supervisor; Rose Farley, housekeeping.  
Each employee received a plaque with their name engraved on it.  
In conjunction with the presentation, Mrs. Ritter, center, front row, is holding a Priscilla Holiday Top 100 award certificate for the Housekeeping Department. This award was presented by the main office of Holiday Inns Inc., Memphis Tenn., in recognition of superlative achievement in being classed among the top 100 Holiday Inns in the system. Membership in this renowned inner circle is one of the highest honors attainable in the housekeeping industry, Mr. Ron Fraser, innkeeper, commented today.

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## Airman Mike Hall Completes AF Course



Biloxi, Miss. — Airman Michael A. Hall, son of MNG Army Chief Warrant Officer and Mrs. Dewain A. Hall of 418 Maple St., Grayling, has graduated at Keesler AFB, Miss., from the U. S. Air Force communications equipment repairman course.

Airman Hall, who was taught installation and maintenance of high-powered ground communications equipment, is remaining at Keesler for duty with a unit of the Air Training Command.

The airman, a 1973 graduate of Grayling High School, attended Kirtland Community College.

## Christmas Seal Drive Below '72 Total Here

Contribution to the traditional Christmas Seal campaign in Crawford County have reached \$1,471 through January 4, reported James E. Woodrow, Traverse City, president of the Northwest Region of the Michigan Lung Association, formerly the Michigan Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association. "This is approximately 92 percent of the 1972 total," he said.

"We sincerely appreciate the contributions given by the people in Crawford County to date," Woodrow said, "but in order to pursue the many varied programs for in-school educational programs for teachers and students, to intensify our efforts on behalf of the rights of non-smokers, to help smokers to kick the habit and to fund research at the national and state level — all takes money. We are asking people in Crawford County to please give their contribution to Christmas Seals at this time."

Contributions should be sent to: Christmas Seals, 403 Seymour Avenue, Lansing, Michigan 48914.

The traditional double-barred cross Christmas Seals have served the citizens of Crawford County since 1908 leading in the fight to control tuberculosis. For the past several years the association has intensified its activities in the research, control and prevention of other respiratory diseases. Major educational efforts focus on smoking and air pollution.

"We ask all citizens of Crawford County to please answer their Christmas Seal appeal now," Woodrow said. "The more people give, the more Christmas Seals can do."



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Tuesday: Chicken noodle soup, bread & peanut butter, crackers, chocolate cake.  
Wednesday: Spanish rice, vegetable, fruit, corn bread.  
Thursday: Hamburg g r a v y, mashed potatoes, vegetable, jelly, bread and butter.  
Friday: Fishwich, chips, vegetable, pudding with topping.  
Milk is served daily. Menu is subject to change without notice.

## District Court Action

The following persons appeared before Judge Francis Walsh, 83rd District Court, and pleaded guilty or were found guilty by a trial:

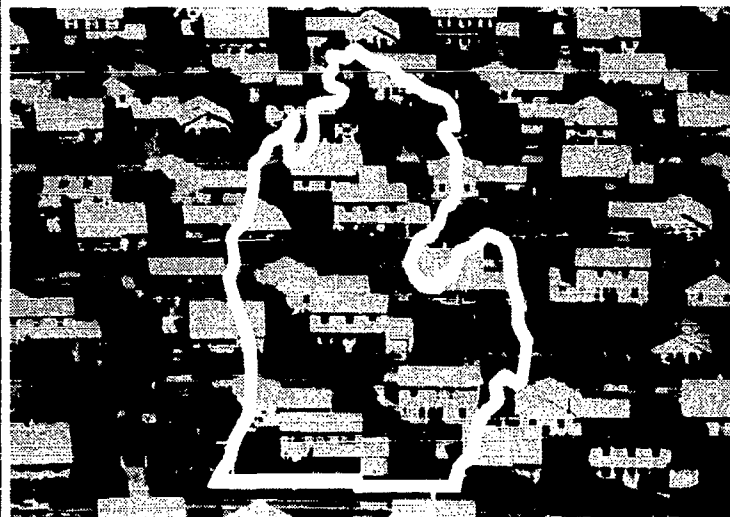
Ronald Philip Perry, 23, Bay City, was charged as being a Disorderly Person and also charged with Assault and Battery. He was sentenced to 7 days on both counts.

Cloyce Leroy King, 57, Gaylord, was charged for being unable to show issuance of license in last three years and was fined \$74.00.

Gary William Mott, 18, Grayling, was charged with having open liquor in a motor vehicle and was fined \$24.00.

Roy Joseph Enos II, 35, Wolverine, was charged with carrying a firearm while intoxicated and was fined \$104.00.

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Theatre Building  
2 Shows - 7 and 9 p.m.

NOW PLAYING FEB. 1-23

You'll never be  
the same after

"SSSSSSSS"

The star slitherer in the terror  
thriller is a 10-foot boa constrictor  
who plays a household pet named  
Harry, with a weakness for whiskey.

COMING FEB. 8-9-10  
"ALL THE WAY BOYS"

## BITS O' TALK

Larry Nielson was home from  
C.M.U. to spend the weekend  
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Carl Nielson.

Mr. and Mrs. William LaGrow,  
Connie Cosgrove, Sharon Harri-  
son, Joe LaGrow, Mr. and Mrs.  
Robert McClain and Mr. and



MISS GRAYLING 1974 — Barbara Jurkovich, second from  
right, won the coveted title of Miss Grayling at the Pageant  
held last Saturday afternoon. She is shown with, from left,  
Veronica Weaver, 1st runnerup, and Joan Blaauw, 2nd run-  
nerup, along with Ann Haskel, Miss Grayling 1973, at right.  
The new queen and her court will be present at the Winter  
Sports Dinner-Dance, Thursday evening at Bear Mountain  
Lodge.

(Carroll Wert Photo)

Mrs. LeRoy Papendick attend-  
ed the funeral of Jack LaGrow  
in Plymouth, Mich., last Satur-  
day.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hilton  
have returned from California,  
following a visit to their daugh-  
ter and family Mr. and Mrs.  
Leroy Liput (Nancy) at Wil-  
mington, and also visiting Mrs.  
Hilton's sister and husband Mr.  
and Mrs. Eugene Baker (Mil-  
dred) at Glendale. Mrs. Hilton  
has been enjoying a two weeks  
vacation from her duties at Mer-  
cy Hospital.

Ken Burns who formerly work-  
ed at ATEP of the Michigan Na-  
tional Guard here, sent word  
that he is now attending a school  
at Aberdeen Proving Grounds,  
Md., and that one of his instruc-  
tors in the Artillery Repair  
Branch is SFC Edward Newell  
who is a nephew of Mr. and  
Mrs. Eugene Papendick. Newell  
who has 18 years service and 2  
tours in Viet Nam, is known by  
several Grayling people, as he  
has joined them on hunting trips  
out West.

Jack Millikin's Tuesday night  
bowling team went up to Hul-  
bert in the U. P. for a weekend  
of snowmobiling and also cele-  
brated Jack W. Millikin's 40th  
birthday. There were 22 in all  
in the group.

## Adventure

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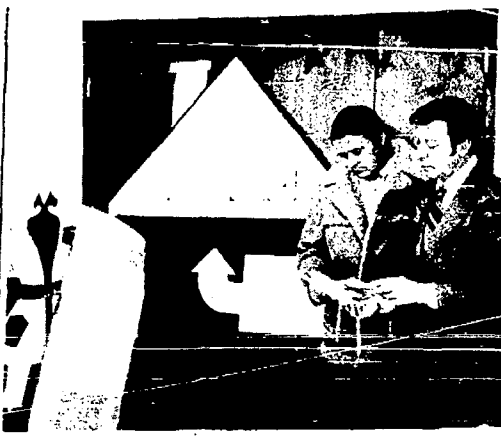
the Book. Other film sequences  
include Capernaum, ancient walls  
crumbling down to the Sea of Ga-  
lilee, native Israeli dances; An  
Upan, a school for people new to  
Israel where they learn to  
read and write Hebrew; Arabs  
dwelling in tents, tending sheep  
and goats, while camels stolid-  
ly munch their hay.

For anyone wishing to learn  
more about the world Ray Green  
and "The New Israel" are a  
must. Tickets for this perform-  
ance will be available at the  
door for those who do not have  
season tickets. Doors will open  
at 7:15 and the film will be-  
gin promptly at 8:00 p.m.

### Motel Assn. Meets

The Grayling Area Motel As-  
sociation held a meeting on Sun-  
day, Jan. 27, with excellent rep-  
resentation from the motels pres-  
ent. President is Joanna Hel-  
mick; 1st vice-president, Kae  
Lund; 2nd vice-president, Ralph  
Sanders; secretary, Phyllis Sau-  
ter; treasurer, Sally Hoag.

The next meeting will be Feb-  
ruary 3rd at one o'clock at the  
Michigan Consolidated Gas Co.  
All the resort people in the area  
are invited to attend.



INSULATION PROGRAM — Mike Lee of Grayling (L) and  
Michigan Consolidated Gas Area, Manager Robert McIntosh  
(R) review a new handbook on the company's insulation  
program. The handbook encourages its customers to install ceil-  
ing insulation in their homes as a way to hold down fuel  
bills and conserve natural gas. The 32-page booklet, avail-  
able at all company offices, describes the various types of  
insulation and how to install them, safety tips and reducing  
fuel consumption. The booklet is entitled "Do-it-yourself In-  
sulation Handbook."

### CORRECTION

The Crawford County Road  
Commission's employees' Team-  
sters Union Local number was  
incorrect as printed in last  
week's Commissioner's Minutes.  
The Local number is 214, in-  
stead of 412 which appeared.

10 Crawford County Avalanche  
Thursday, January 31, 1974

Henry Block  
has 17 reasons  
why you should  
come to us for  
income tax  
help.

Reason 5. If the IRS should  
cut you in for an audit,  
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Not as a legal representa-  
tive... but we can answer  
all questions about how  
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SCHAFER'S HILLBILLY



THANK YOU  
CHERRY or APPLE  
PIE FILLING

20-21 OZ. CANS

39c

EMPRESS (in tomato sauce) 7 1/2 OZ. CAN 29c  
SARDINES ..... 29c  
VLASIC GENUINE KOSHER — 32 OZ. JAR 49c  
DILLS ..... 49c



## BREAD

20 OZ.  
LOAF

49c

BACON  
SQUARES ..... 49c  
3 LB. BOX

SKINLESS  
FRANKS ..... 99c  
lb

CLOSE OUT WHILE THEY LAST  
FARMER PEETS OLD FASHION  
HAMS ..... 89c  
WHOLE  
OR SHANK  
PORTION

RADISHES  
GREEN ONIONS  
CUCUMBERS  
PEPPERS  
MIX OR  
MATCH  
2 FOR 29c



## T.V. DINNERS

Salisbury Steak  
Chicken  
Turkey  
12 OZ.  
39c EACH



## SALAD DRESSING

32 OZ. JAR 49c  
(With This Coupon)  
GOOD AT BLACK & WHITE EXPIRES: SAT. FEB. 2

TIP TOP FLORIDA — 64 OZ. JUG 49c  
CITRUS BLEND. .... 49c  
FOULD'S ELBOW or SEA SHELL — 16 OZ. PKGS. \$1.00  
MACARONI ..... 3/\$1.00  
LYSOL — 14 OZ. CAN \$1.19  
DISINFECTANT SPRAY. .... \$1.19



DEL MONTE CREAM or WHOLE

## CORN

5/\$1.00  
17 OZ.  
CANS



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While The Supply Lasts — No "Rainchecks" Issued For The Following Merchandise

TWIN PACK — 4 OZ.  
DREAM WHIP..... 29c

BETTY CROCKER — 2 LBS. 8 OZ.  
BISQUICK..... 89c

DEL MONTE — 14 OZ.  
CATSUP..... 2 FOR 39c

TRUEWORTH — 46 OZ.  
ORANGE DRINK... 29c

LEVER BROTHERS — 2 LBS. 8 OZ.  
SPRY ..... \$1.19

LIBBY'S — 1 LB. 13 OZ.  
PUMPKIN..... 2 FOR 49c

OCEAN SPRAY WHOLE  
CRANBERRY SAUCE... 2 FOR 49c

PILLSBURY Plain or Buttermilk — 8 OZ. TUBE  
BIGSUITS..... 10c

BEEF NOODLE — 7 OZ.  
HAMBURGER HELPER..... 49c

DEL MONTE — 16 OZ. CANS  
SUGAR PEAS..... 2 FOR 49c

## FROZEN FOODS

BIRDSEYE FROZEN — 4 PACK

CORN-ON-THE-COB  
39c

BIRDSEYE FROZEN — 12 OZ.

SQUASH..... 10c

KINGSFORD BREADED — 14 OZ.

BEEF PATTIES 99c